



## UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE  
 United States Patent and Trademark Office  
 Address: COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS  
 P.O. Box 1450  
 Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450  
 www.uspto.gov

**\*BIBDATASHEET\***

CONFIRMATION NO. 4336

Bib Data Sheet

<b>SERIAL NUMBER</b> 10/618,845	<b>FILING OR 371(c) DATE</b> 07/14/2003 <b>RULE</b>	<b>CLASS</b> 405	<b>GROUP ART UNIT</b> 3673	<b>ATTORNEY DOCKET NO.</b> 021675.044264	
<b>APPLICANTS</b> John W. Chianis, Katy, TX; Edward W. Huang, Houston, TX;					
<b>** CONTINUING DATA *****</b>					
<b>** FOREIGN APPLICATIONS *****</b>					
<b>IF REQUIRED, FOREIGN FILING LICENSE GRANTED</b> <b>** 10/09/2003</b>					
Foreign Priority claimed <input type="checkbox"/> yes <input type="checkbox"/> no 35 USC 119 (a-d) conditions <input type="checkbox"/> yes <input type="checkbox"/> no <input type="checkbox"/> Met after Allowance Verified and Acknowledged _____ Examiner's Signature _____ Initials _____		<b>STATE OR COUNTRY</b> TX	<b>SHEETS DRAWING</b> 6	<b>TOTAL CLAIMS</b> 29	<b>INDEPENDENT CLAIMS</b> 6
<b>ADDRESS</b> BRACEWELL & GIULIANI LLP P. O. BOX 61389 HOUSTON, TX 77208-1389					
<b>TITLE</b> TENSION LEG PLATFORM HAVING A LATERAL MOORING SYSTEM AND METHODS FOR USING AND INSTALLING SAME					
<b>FILING FEE RECEIVED</b> 1620	FEES: Authority has been given in Paper No. _____ to charge/credit DEPOSIT ACCOUNT No. _____ for following:		<input type="checkbox"/> All Fees <input type="checkbox"/> 1.16 Fees ( Filing ) <input type="checkbox"/> 1.17 Fees ( Processing Ext. of time ) <input type="checkbox"/> 1.18 Fees ( Issue ) <input type="checkbox"/> Other _____ <input type="checkbox"/> Credit		